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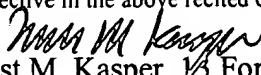
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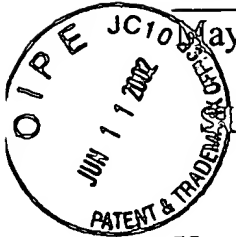
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DE	3720623	A61C	March 16, 1989

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